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AMENDMENT C

In response to the Office Action of Paper No. 15, dated January 20, 1999, for which the response period has been extended until June 21, 1999, by the enclosed Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

